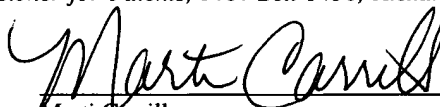


**PATENT**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**FROM THE OFFICE ACTION**

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Applicant : Jason Alexander Trachewsky, et al. Confirmation No. 3689

Application No. : 09/825,903

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Title : METHOD OF DETERMINING A START OF A TRANSMITTED FRAME  
IN A FRAME-BASED COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

Grp./Div. : 2637

Examiner : Betsy Lee Deppe

Docket No. : 42139/RJP/B600

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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated September 28, 2004 for one month(s) from December 28, 2004 to January 28, 2005.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$120
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 225	\$ 450	\$
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 510	\$ 1020	\$
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 795	\$ 1590	\$
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$ 1080	\$ 2160	\$

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 120 to cover the cost of the extension.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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